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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

PATENT APPLICATION

Applicant : Mikel A. Lehrman
Application No. : 09/544,523 Confirmation No. : 7812
Filed : April 6, 2000
For : METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR PROVIDING
PORTABLE PHOTOGRAPHIC IMAGES
Group Art Unit : 2615
Examiner : Hedley O. Linton

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Hon. Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)
FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), applicant hereby petitions for a one-month extension of the shortened statutory period set for response to the Office Action dated September 12, 2003. With the extension, the response is due on or before January 12, 2004.

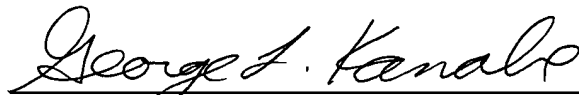
A check for fifty-five dollars (\$55.00), in payment of the fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1), for a small

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entity status, is enclosed. The Director is authorized to charge payment of any additional extension fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 in connection with the paper(s) transmitted herewith, or to credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 06-1075. A duplicate copy of this petition is submitted herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, reading "George L. Kanabe", is written over a horizontal line.

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